

Schools of YOUR Choice!

**NOW ACCEPTING
APPLICATIONS FOR:
Elementary & High School Magnet Programs**
January through the Third Friday in February
Middle School Magnet Program
February through the First Friday in March

Magnet programs offer students opportunities to choose educational experiences based on their special interests and abilities. Magnet programs are helping transform public education by providing outstanding educational programs and by giving students opportunities to share learning experiences with students from different cultures and backgrounds who have similar interests and talents. The Clark County School District is committed to racial and ethnic diversity because the district believes diversity is educationally beneficial for all students. Academic excellence and equal opportunity are major educational goals of magnet programs.

All of the Clark County School District's magnet schools and programs are attended voluntarily by students who choose to apply to magnet programs based on their special interests and talents. Through these magnet schools and programs, Clark County School District is providing unique educational opportunities and achieving progress towards reaching the district's desegregation goals.

Admission Requirements Elementary

Students and parents may choose from the magnet schools offered by the Clark County School District based on interest, talent, and abilities. The open magnet school seats are assigned utilizing a random lottery program. Students not selected are placed on an alternate list. *The commitment of the parent/guardian and the child should be for one complete school year in the magnet school.*

Secondary Selection Procedures

At the secondary level, entrance criteria have been established for admission to each magnet program as a means of promoting student success. Students interested in applying to a magnet program should speak to their counselor or contact that specific school. *Students meeting the criteria for the magnet school(s) are placed into a pool of qualified applications. When the number of qualified students for a magnet school/program exceed the number of seats available, a random selection method will be utilized. In keeping with the district's goals, racial balance is a consideration in selecting students for magnet schools/programs.*

It is the policy of the Clark County School District to afford equal opportunity in education to qualified students. If you think you have a disability that may affect your ability to fully participate in any of the District's magnet programs, you are encouraged to provide information about your disability to the review committee at the school(s) to which you have submitted an application so that they may help you develop an accommodation plan. Admissions criteria will not be waived, but accommodations will be made where possible to allow you to meet the requirements, provided that you are timely in working with the committee to develop an accommodation plan.

For more information, please contact: Magnet Schools project office 799-5479

ELEMENTARY

School Name: Gilbert Magnet School
School Skills: Communication and Creative Arts

GRADES 1-5

Benefits For Your Child: • Positive action curriculum • Peer mediation and conflict/resolution training • Expanded and integrated thematic-based instruction in the fine arts • Performance opportunities • In school television studio • Computer and communication technology • Extended instructional day

For more information, please contact: Gilbert Magnet School for Communications & Creative Arts
2101 West Cartier • North Las Vegas, NV 89030 • Tel.: 799-4730

School Name: Mabel Hoggard Magnet School
School Skills: Math and Science

GRADES 1-5

Benefits For Your Child: • Science, mathematics, and technology specialists • Enriched curriculum • State-of-the-art computer technology • Extensive collection of math and science library books • Extended instructional day

For more information, please contact: Mabel Hoggard Math and Science Magnet School
950 North Tonopah Dr. • Las Vegas, NV 89106 • Tel.: 799-4740

School Name: Jo Mackey Magnet School
School Skills: Academic Enrichment and Global Studies

GRADES 1-5

Benefits For Your Child: • Specialists in Art, Music, Physical Education, Technology, and Learning Styles • Motivational hands-on learning experiences • Enriched curriculum • Global Studies • Multi-age learning • Peer tutoring • Personalized learning experiences.

For more information, please contact: Jo Mackey Magnet School for Academic Enrichment and Global Studies, 2726 Englestad • North Las Vegas, NV 89030 • Tel.: 799-7139

MIDDLE SCHOOL

GRADES 6-8

School Skills: Math and Science

School Name: Academy of Science and Math at Hyde Park Middle School

Benefits For Your Child: • Reduced student/teacher ratio in science and mathematics classes • Science and mathematics specialists • Interactive, hands-on learning experiences • Enriched curriculum • State-of-the-art computer technology • Extended instructional day

For more information, please contact: Hyde Park Middle School Academy of Science and Math
900 Hinson St. • Las Vegas, NV 89107 • Tel.: 799-4263

SENIOR HIGH

GRADES 9-12

School Name: Advanced Technologies Academy

School Skills: Business Law, Computers & Technology Careers

Benefits For Your Child: • Reduced student/teacher ratio in technology classes • Motivational hands-on learning experiences • Unique curriculum • State-of-the-art computer technology • Extended instructional day • Computer-enhanced learning

For more information, please contact: Advanced Technologies Academy
2501 Vegas Dr. • Las Vegas, NV 89106 • Tel.: 799-7870

School Name: Academy for Mathematics, Science, and Applied Technology at Clark High School

GRADES 9-12

School Skills: Mathematics and Sciences

Benefits For Your Child: • Reduced student/teacher ratio in all mathematics, science, and technology classes • Motivational hands-on learning experiences • State-of-the-art computer technology, including access to the CRAY Supercomputer at UNLV • Extended instructional day • Technology programs I & II with 18 modular station components • Partnership with University of Nevada School of Medicine, Desert Research Institute, and 27 other area business

For more information, please contact: Academy for Mathematics, Science, and Applied Technology
4219 Pennwood Avenue • Las Vegas, NV 89102 • Tel.: 799-5800

School Name: Las Vegas Academy of International Studies

GRADES 9-12

School Skills: International Studies

Benefits For Your Child: • A variety of foreign languages • Enriched student/teacher ratio • Motivational hands-on learning experiences • Unique curriculum • State-of-the-art computer technology to include CD-ROM and internet connection • Extended instructional day

For more information, please contact: Las Vegas Academy of International Studies and Performing and Visual Arts, 315 South 7th Street • Las Vegas, NV 89101 • Tel.: 799-7800

School Name: Las Vegas Academy of Performing and Visual Arts

GRADES 9-12

School Skills: Performing & Visual Arts

Benefits For Your Child: • Enriched student/teacher ratio in technology classes • Motivational hands-on learning experiences • State-of-the-art computer technology • Extended instructional day • In-house tutoring

For more information, please contact: Las Vegas Academy of International Studies and Performing and Visual Arts, 315 South 7th Street • Las Vegas, NV 89101 • Tel.: 799-7800

School Name: Academy of Tourism and Travel at Valley High School

GRADES 9-12

School Skills: Tourism and Travel

Benefits For Your Child: • Reduced student/teacher ratio • Motivational hands-on learning experiences • Student work experience or internship during the summer between the junior and senior years • Unique curriculum • State-of-the-art computer technology • In-house tutoring

For more information, please contact: Valley High School - Academy of Tourism and Travel
2839 South Burnham • Las Vegas, NV 89109 • Tel.: 799-5450

School Name: Pre-International Baccalaureate at Valley High School

GRADES 9-12

School Skills: International Baccalaureate

Benefits For Your Child: • Whole Person/Broad Education/Balanced • Learn how to learn • Critical Reflection/Analyzing • Interdisciplinary/Theory of Knowledge • Creative, Action, Community Service (CAS) • Independent Research (Extended Essay) • International Awareness/Tolerance/Communications • Examination/World Standard • Requires a student to be excellent in all subjects and superior in three subjects • In-house tutoring

For more information, please contact: Valley High School - International Baccalaureate Program
2839 South Burnham • Las Vegas, NV 89109 • 799-5450

School Name: Southern Nevada Vocational Technical Center

GRADES 9-12

School Skills: Vocational Careers

Benefits For Your Child: • Four-year comprehensive vocational high school • Participate in occupational training programs • Occupational instruction as well as academic classes to meet college requirements • Students earn an occupational certificate and a high school diploma • VoTech's 1500 students are served by over 75 academic and vocational teachers

For more information, please contact: VoTech High School
5710 Mountain Vista Drive • Las Vegas, NV 89120 • 799-7500



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